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MARY WASHINGTON COLLEGE
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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

October 24, 1947

Miss Lindlay Goolrick
Executive Secretary
Alumnae Association
Mary Washington College of
The University of Virginia
Fredericksburg, Virginia

Dear Miss Goolrick:

I am delighted to know that the Alumnae Association is to publish a magazine, and I am looking forward with a great deal of interest to seeing the first issue.

I want to take this opportunity to congratulate you and the Board of Directors of the Association upon the splendid progress you have made during the last year. It is encouraging, indeed, to know that the members of the Association are so active and enthusiastic in the development and strengthening of the organization. The Alumnae Association can be one of the greatest, if not the greatest, assets of a college or university.

We look forward to your achievements and want to thank you for your splendid co-operation and interest in the development of the college.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,
M. L. COMBS, President

MLC:bf

HOMECOMING, APRIL THE 10TH AND 11TH ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION MARY WASHINGTON COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA

March 1st, 1948

Dear Alumna:

Again we have the pleasure of bringing you news of our ALUMNAE HOMECOMING—the time when alumnae gather on the campus of Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia to spend a glorious week-end renewing friendships, relieving for a brief moment our own college days by sharing the spirit of college life with the girls on the Hill, and absorbing the spring beauty that belongs to Mary Washington alone.

HOMECOMING will be April the 10th and 11th. Please plan to be present, as the entire facilities of the college will be devoted to the alumnae for this week-end.

Registration will start in Mary Ball Reception Hall at 9:00 A. M., April 10th. Mrs. Bushnell requests that all notices of attendance and approximate time of arrival be in to the National Executive Secretary, Lindlay Goolrick, Box 1011, College Station, no later than March 31st. If due to transportation or any other necessary reason you arrive on Friday evening and expect accommodations on the Hill, be sure to send in that information promptly.

THIS IS OUR SCHEDULE FOR HOMECOMING:

FRIDAY, April 9th, 9:00 P. M., meeting of the Board of Directors, Student Activity Room, Virginia Hall. Registration for the Board members only from 7:00 P. M. to 8:00 P. M., Mary Ball Reception Hall.

SATURDAY, APRIL 10th

- 9:00 A. M. Registration will begin in Mary Ball Reception Hall
(The Mary Washington girls who will help with the registration are members of the Alumnae Daughters Club.)
- 9:45 A. M. Board of Directors Meeting—Student Activity Room—Virginia Hall
- 1:00 P. M. Alumnae Luncheon—Tapestry Room—Seacobeck Hall
- 2:00 P. M. Alumnae Business Meeting—Tapestry Room—Seacobeck Hall

Agenda:

1. Organization of new chapters. Is there a need for a chapter in your locality? If so, please let us have this information.
2. Decision of alumnae in regard to the proposed change in the Alma Mater song.
3. Alumnae Endowment Fund. We now have the Alumnae Fund, which covers our general expenses, but the need is being felt for an additional fund to be used for other purposes.
4. Problems of the Alumnae Association. There are certain obstacles confronting the Alumnae Association at the present time; and if we are to grow into an effective organization, these obstacles must be overcome. We need your help.
5. Election of Vice-President, Treasurer, and Parliamentarian.

- 6:00 P. M. Dinner—Formal—Buffet Style—Seacobeck Hall

The Alumnae will be guests as well as hostesses—hostesses, we might add, to the entire Senior Class and to a group of distinguished visitors. The Alumnae Association has extended an invitation to the Board of Visitors of the University of Virginia to join us at our dinner on Saturday evening. Among those invited are Mr. Edward R. Stettinius, Jr., Rector of the University of Virginia, and Dr. Colgate W. Darden, Jr., President of the University of Virginia. We know you will not want to miss this occasion!



**Miss Martha McKenney Swoope
'40, Roanoke, Virginia**

President of the National Alumnae
Association, Mary Washington
College of the University of
Virginia



**Mrs. Charles Stewart Payne
(Camilla Moody, '29)
Washington, D. C.**

Past President of the National
Alumnae Association, Mary
Washington College of the
University of Virginia

SUNDAY, APRIL 11th

8:00 A. M. Cafeteria Breakfast—Seacobeck Hall

11:00 A. M. Chapel—Monroe Auditorium

Mr. J. M. H. Willis will be the speaker, and Dr. Edward Alvey, Jr. will officiate at the service.

1:00 P. M. Sunday Dinner—Seacobeck Hall

COME TO MARY WASHINGTON COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA, APRIL 10TH AND 11TH, AND MAKE THIS THE GRANDEST HOMECOMING THE ALUMNAE HAVE EVER KNOWN. PLEASE FILL IN THE RESERVATION BLANK FOR HOMECOMING AND RETURN TO LINDLAY GOOLRICK, BOX 1011, COLLEGE STATION, FREDERICKSBURG, VIRGINIA. THE NATIONAL OFFICE MUST RECEIVE THIS INFORMATION BY MARCH 31ST, NO LATER.

Sincerely yours,

MARTHA SWOOPE, National President

AN INVITATION

To the alumnae of Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia I wish to convey a brief message and to extend a personal invitation. Perhaps it is somewhat unfitting that I address myself to you in the first person; perhaps the note of familiarity is out of keeping with editorial policy. But I have had a rather rare and exceedingly gratifying experience, one in which every alumna might happily participate, one which I should like to share with all of you.

This year I have been privileged to return to Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia as a member of the faculty. It has been a source of deep and genuine satisfaction to assume, once more, an active part in the college which has contributed to me, even as to you, so much and so generously. It has been a delight to walk again the familiar, well-remembered paths of beauty, to recapture the mingled yet harmonious feelings of stimulation and contentment, to realize that, while much has changed in the interest of progress, the fundamental aspects of a way of life and a way of thought abide.

I know that some of you have not returned to your campus for a long while; others of you have not come back except in memory. Perhaps there are those of you who have returned not at all, and on this account I believe you have missed a warm and immensely rewarding experience. It therefore affords me a great deal of pleasure to invite you, on behalf of the Alumnae Association, the administration and the faculty, to join us for Homecoming weekend, April the tenth and eleventh.

Those of us in the Alumnae Association and those of us who remain on campus, look forward to April and to the opportunity for extending you a heartfelt welcome.

Mary Annette Klinesmith, '44

The Inauguration of the Third President of the University of Virginia

by

Mrs. Jere M. H. Willis (Mary Phoebe Enders, '29)

Colgate Whitehead Darden, Jr. was elected third President of the University of Virginia at a meeting of the Rector and Visitors of the University held in Charlottesville, Virginia, on March 31, 1947. The election followed upon an exhaustive search made by a special committee charged with finding a successor to Dr. John Lloyd Newcomb, retired. The unanimous choice of the Committee and the Board is of especial interest to the Alumnae of Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia. It was during the governorship of Mr. Darden that the College was affiliated with the University as the Liberal Arts College for Women of the Commonwealth. During the same gubernatorial term the purchase of "Brompton" was approved and executed.

The Inauguration ceremonies of the new President were held on the Lawn of the University on October 1, 1947. The day was all that could be desired, clear, sunny and cool. The setting, the south end of the expanse of Mr. Jefferson's Lawn, formed a background of beauty for an impressive, dignified and auspicious occasion. The shell, constructed for the Virginia State Music Festival, faced thousands of seats for guests and the wide Lawn accommodated hundreds more.

Dr. Robert Kent Gooch, Marshall of the University gowned in colorful Oxford robes, led the academic procession. The order of the procession was as follows:

The Presidential Party:

The Governor of the Commonwealth

The Rector of the University

The President of the University

Former President of the University, John Lloyd Newcomb

The Inaugural Speaker, Sir Alfred Zimmern, Emeritus Professor of International Relations, Oxford

The Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church for Southern Virginia, The Right Reverend William A. Brown

The Board of Visitors of the University

Delegates of Universities and Colleges, about 150.

Delegates of Learned Societies and Educational Organizations

Members of the Congress of the United States

Delegations from the General Assembly of Virginia

Delegation of the Supreme Court of Appeals

The Mayor of the City of Charlottesville

The Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Albemarle

Miller Board of Trustees

Members of the Board of Managers of the University of Virginia Alumni Association and of the Alumni Board of Trustees

The Faculty of the University

The Faculty of Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia

Edward Reilly Stettinius, Rector of the University, presided at the Inauguration exercises. Following the invocation by Bishop Brown, Mr. Darden was administered the oath of office by the Rector. His acceptance speech was portentous of serious thought and purpose and promised far reaching hopes and plans for the University as "the capstone of education in the Commonwealth of Virginia."

The Governor of Virginia, William Munford Tuck, congratulated the University on the new administration and pledged the interest and support of the State.

The principal address, by Sir Alfred Zimmern, was a masterpiece of language and address. He recalled the early associations of the two Universities of Oxford and Virginia in philosophical fields. Referring to the teachings of John Locke, Sir Alfred showed the effects and coordination of the political and educational theories of Locke and Jefferson. He developed at length the pos-

sibilities of Schools and Universities in forming the thoughts and characters of men and women in high ideals for democratic and representative government and freedom of the mind. His turn toward international affairs was well informed and applicable. As an observer of the United Nations and a scholar of International Relations, he spoke with authority and knowledge. His talk sparkled with wit and humor. He stated that education today has mighty power for peace through international understanding.

The President of the University, in his address, set forth some of his ideas for the growth and expansion of the University. Stating that only 25 per cent of High School graduates attend College, he called for a program of adult education to provide an informed and intelligent electorate. He looked forward to the day when higher education will be centered at no one place, when through the establishment of many schools throughout the Commonwealth, at least two years of college work will be available to adults "on the job" as well as to those young men and women who find the cost of campus life prohibitive.

The outlook of the new President is not only enthusiastic, but well based and sound. A progressive in education, Mr. Darden brings to his new duties an administrative ability and knowledge of the needs of the State that are invaluable for one who occupies his position.

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The music for the Processional and Recessional was fittingly Jeffersonian:

(1) Jefferson's March, composed for and performed at the Grand Procession in Philadelphia, March 4th, 1801.

(2) The New President's March, composed by Alexander Reinagle to celebrate the inauguration of Thomas Jefferson as President of the United States.

Following the Inauguration ceremonies, luncheon was served the delegates and special guests in the Rotunda.

At three o'clock in the afternoon, The Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra, Eugene Ormandy conducting, presented a concert on the Lawn. The program follows:

Academic Festival Overture,

Opus 80, ----- Johannes Brahms
Symphony No. 3, in F major,

Opus 90 ----- Johannes Brahms
Don Quixote: Fantastical Variations

on a Theme of Knightly Character,
Opus 35 ----- Richard Strauss

(In commemoration of the four hundredth anniversary of the birth of Miguel de Cervantes).

The University of Virginia and Mary Washington College may well be proud of this day. It was an inspiring event and one to fill the heart with pride. We look forward to an era of expanded growth and usefulness in our Commonwealth. We must and will accept the challenge of the promise of this day with seriousness and high purpose.

ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
MARY WASHINGTON COLLEGE
of the UNIVERSITY of VIRGINIA

Box 1011
College Station
Fredericksburg, Virginia
October 20th, 1947

Dr. Colgate W. Darden, Jr., President
University of Virginia
Charlottesville, Virginia

Dear Dr. Darden:

On behalf of the Alumnae Association of Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia, I should like to extend best wishes to you and to pledge full support of this Association to your program for expanding and improving the facilities of the University.

If at any time our organization can be of assistance to you, I hope you will not hesitate to call on us.

Sincerely yours,
LINDLAY GOOLRICK
Executive Secretary

UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA
CHARLOTTESVILLE
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

Oct. 22, 1947

Miss Lindlay Goolrick,
Box 1011, College Station,
Fredericksburg, Va.

Dear Miss Goolrick:

I very much appreciate your letter of the 20th. and your kind offer of help from the Alumnae Association of Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia. I am going to count on your support. The Association can be of inestimable value to us.

Sincerely,
C. W. DARDEN, JR.

CWD/W

Report on Curricular Changes at Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia

Board of Directors Meeting, Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia
Alumnae Association—Essex House, Virginia Beach, Virginia—

October 24th, 25th & 26th, 1947.

A college is as strong as its alumnae group. In fact, the worth of a college is measured by the type of student it produces. Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia has every right to be proud of its graduates. They have stood the test and have measured up in all walks of life, in home making, in the professions, and in business. What group is better qualified to study the offerings of the college curriculum? From experience the strength and weakness of the past curriculum stand out.

The stride forward which the college has made since the graduation of the various members of this group has been remarkable. The alliance with the University of Virginia is a source of pride to all of us!

The question is, "Are we keeping pace with the large eastern colleges which we are emulating?" Is the College considering all the needs of the liberally educated women of today? What is meant by liberal education today? According to Webster, liberal means free, unrestricted, not narrow or contracted in mind, broadminded. The term liberal arts means "the higher arts, which among the Romans only free men were permitted to pursue." Bearing this definition in mind, the committee appointed by the Alumnae Association last spring has studied the present course offerings and has made the following recommendations to the Committee on Mary Washington College.

Recommendations pertaining to the Department of Health and Physical Education are as follows:

1. That the name of the Department be changed to the "Department of Health, Physical Education and Recreation."

2. That three degrees be given in the Department of Health, Physical Education and Recreation: an A. B. degree in Dance, a B. S. degree in Pre-Physical Therapy and an A. B. degree in Recreation.

3. That the general plan of study for all three degrees be as follows:

A. That the student follow a program of the General College for the Freshman and Sophomore years, meeting all the requirements.

B. That the student begin the major in Dance, Pre-Physical Therapy or Recreation at the outset of the Junior year.

4. That in the Recreation Field, the student have a choice of a major in Recreation with an emphasis on Music, Dramatic Art, Art or General Recreation.

A. Recreation Field Work.

(1) Between the Freshman and Sophomore years, six weeks or more of field work in summer camp, playground, dramatic production, music festival, etc.

(2) Between the Sophomore and Junior years, six weeks or more in a community recreation program.

B. Dance Field

(1) Between the Freshman and Sophomore years, six weeks with a dance artist or participation in a dance production, etc.

(2) Between the Junior and Senior years, the same as (1) above.

A general plan of study for each major was outlined and presented to the Board of Visitors.

Recommendations pertaining to the Department of Home Economics are as follows:

1. That students choosing other fields for concentration be permitted to elect any of the following courses in Home Economics. (No special prerequisite.)

- A. 1.4 Textiles and Clothing
- 1.5 History of Costume and Textiles
- 2.4 Elementary Food
- 2.5 Food Economics
- 2.9 Elementary Nutrition

- 3.1 Family Economics and Management
- 3.2 The House and Interior Decoration
- 3.3 Consumer Education
- 4.1 Child Study
- 4.2 Health of the Family
- 4.3 Home Relationship
- 4.4 The Family

2. That an A. B. degree be given in the Department of Home Economics; an A. B. degree with emphasis on Family Living, an A. B. degree with emphasis on Textiles, Clothing and Related Art, and an A. B. degree with emphasis on Food and Nutrition.

A general plan of study for each major recommended in Home Economics was outlined and presented to the Board of Visitors of the University of Virginia.

In addition to the courses outlined, a summary of the "Present Trends in the Field of Recreation, Dance and Pre-Physical Therapy" was presented.

A study of "Home Economics and the Liberal Arts College" was also included in the report.

The Alumnae Committee, consisting of Camilla Moody Payne, Clara Boyd Wheeler, Phoebe Enders Willis and Mildred P. Stewart, Chairman, met with the Committee of Mary Washington College last June.

The Board of Visitors Committee received us graciously and expressed appreciation both for our interest and for the work which had been done on the curricula. The Board indicated an interest in the proposed curricula, and planned to study them thoroughly before making any commitments.

Respectfully submitted,
Mildred P. Stewart, Chairman
Committee on Curricular Changes

Editor's note: The following are two major issues which the Board of Visitors voted on and passed recently:

ELECTIVE COURSES IN EDUCATION—While specialized curricula leading to the degree of B. A. in Education and B. S. in Education have been discontinued, Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia will continue to offer elective courses in Education to enable graduates to qualify for the Collegiate Professional Certificate, the highest teaching certificate issued by the Virginia State Board of Education. Thus, graduates who are majoring in the various academic fields may qualify also for the highest teaching certificate issued in Virginia.

Also, a special B. S. Degree in Home Economics will be offered at Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia.

Minutes of the Board of Directors Meeting Alumnae Association - October 25, 1947

The annual meeting of the Board of the Alumnae Association of Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia was called to order by Martha Swoope, President, of Roanoke, Virginia, on Saturday, October 25, 1947 at 10:30 a. m. at the Essex House, Virginia Beach, Virginia.

Those present were:

Carol Schwartz, Secretary, Briarcliff Manor, New York; Glade Burnette, Treasurer, Roanoke, Virginia; Ruth Spradlin, Assistant Treasurer, Roanoke, Virginia; Mrs. Elizabeth Ewan Moss, Historian, Newport News, Virginia; Mrs. B. Larrabee Carr, Parliamentarian, Hampton, Virginia; Mildred P. Stewart, Faculty Advisor, Fredericksburg, Virginia; Lindlay Goolrick, Executive Sec-

retary, Fredericksburg, Virginia; Mrs. Charles Payne, Past President, Washington, D. C.; Patricia Draz, President of New York Chapter; Elizabeth Davis, President of Washington Chapter; Mrs. B. W. Smith, Director of Washington Chapter; Mrs. W. D. Brumble, President of Richmond Chapter; Mrs. J. R. Tuck, Director of Richmond Chapter; Margaret Lambert, President of Norfolk Chapter; Mrs. E. E. Echols, Director of Norfolk Chapter; Mrs. Ralph Newsome, President of Peninsula Chapter; Lois Dent, President of Fredericksburg Chapter; Mary Annette Klinesmith, Director of Fredericksburg Chapter.

The President reviewed the activities of Homecoming last April. The Treasurer, Glade Burnette, reported a balance

of \$2,748.69 in the savings account and a balance of \$404.28 in the checking account as of October 25, 1947.

Mildred P. Stewart, chairman of a committee appointed to appear before the Committee of Mary Washington College of the Board of Visitors and present suggested changes in the curriculum of the Home Economics Department and the Physical Education Department, reported that the Board took no definite action on these suggested changes.

Mildred P. Stewart asked that any changes in the names and addresses which should appear in the catalogue be turned in to her immediately. She also read a letter from Dr. Dodd which was in response to our request for her to investigate the possibility of Mary Washington College becoming a member of the A. A. U. W. Dr. Dodd replied that the chances for membership were very slight due to the fact that so few of the Mary Washington graduates had gone into graduate work but, however, there was a possibility that action might be taken in the near future.

The president recommended the purchase of some office equipment for the executive secretary's office on the campus at which time Mildred P. Stewart reported that Dr. Dodd had offered us the use of any of the office equipment at the college at any time we desired the use of it. A discussion of the advisability of purchasing addressograph plates was held, but it was suggested that such action be tabled until the expense of publishing the Bulletin has been determined.

An appeal to all the chapters was made by Mildred P. Stewart on behalf of the college to help enroll more Virginia students—that is, students of the highest type. She pointed out that the Alumnae could be most helpful by contacting the prospective college students now in high school.

Lindlay Goolrick, our executive secretary, gave a complete report of the duties performed by her since taking over her office. She reported a balance of \$52.90 in the petty cash fund. As a result of an investigation, Lindlay reported an estimate of \$40 for purchasing a complete set of mimeograph plates and an estimate of \$480 for publishing one issue of the Bulletin.

The president appointed a committee

composed of Lindlay Goolrick, Glade Burnette, Mildred P. Stewart and Ruth Spradlin to prepare an estimated budget for the ensuing year in order that the amount to be allotted for the Bulletin could be decided upon.

A discussion was held concerning the playing cards, and it was decided that all chapters were to report to Lindlay any extra cards they have on hand and could turn in to the executive secretary's office where they can be sold direct.

The president called on a representative from each chapter for a report of the activities of her chapter. After these reports, each representative was requested to hand in a written report to Lindlay to be used in the Bulletin. Lindlay was requested to send postal cards to each chapter by the fifteenth of each month asking for any news to be published in the Bulletin.

The president announced that three officers would be elected at Homecoming to be held April 10-11, namely, vice-president, treasurer and parliamentarian. A nominating committee was appointed, composed of Mrs. Moss, chairman, and Eleanor Smith and Lois Dent who were to prepare the slate and present it at Homecoming.

Plans for Homecoming weekend were discussed. It was decided that we have Homecoming April 10-11, 1948.

The matter of a tea was discussed, and it was decided that it would be eliminated in favor of a banquet to be held Saturday evening, April 10th, 1948, at which time the Board of Visitors, the faculty, the college seniors will be the guests of the alumnae.

CAROL SCHWARTZ

Secretary

The afternoon session of the annual meeting of the Board of the Alumnae Association of Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia was called to order by Martha Swoope, president, of Roanoke, Virginia, on Saturday, October 25, 1947 at 2:30 p. m. at the Essex House, Virginia Beach, Virginia.

A report was made by Lib Davis on the incorporation of the Alumnae Association of Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia. After discussing the certificate, which is being prepared, a motion was made by Mildred P. Stewart, and duly seconded, that a committee be appointed and given

power to make necessary changes in the certificate with the aid of Mr. Willis as advisor, and follow through to incorporation by forwarding it to the State Corporation Commission. This is to be presented to the board in April to vote on by-laws. The motion was carried. The following committee was appointed to perform these duties: Lib Davis, Mrs. B. Larrabee Carr, Elizabeth Moss and Barbara Newsome.

Pat Draz made the suggestion that all chapter constitutions be sent to this group to be sure they conform with the national constitution.

Lib Davis made a motion, which was seconded, that the treasurer pay all fees necessary in connection with incorporation. Carried.

A report on the estimated budget was given by Glade Burnette, as follows:

Executive Secretary--	900.00
Supplies & Equipment	200.00
Telephone Calls -----	70.20
Emergency Fund ----	100.00
Miscellaneous -----	50.00
Publication -----	1,000.00
Mailing & Postage --	260.00
Homecoming -----	500.00
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	\$3,080.20
Amt. in Savings Account	
10-25-47 --	\$2,748.69
Amt. in Checking Account	
10-25-47 --	404.28
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	\$3,152.97
Amt. collected and pledged	
10-25-47--	208.75
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	\$3,361.72
Tentative Budget-----	3,080.20
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Balance -----	281.52

A motion was made by Camilla Payne and duly seconded that the budget for the ensuing year as read be approved and accepted. Carried.

Lindlay Goolrick gave a report on her investigation of alumnae publications and showed as examples, magazines of other alumnae associations. A motion was made by Camilla Payne, and duly seconded, that Lindlay Goolrick be made editor of our alumnae publication, her title to be "Executive Secretary and Editor."

The president appointed Mary Annette Klinesmith and Camilla Payne to

assist Lindlay with the Bulletin. Camilla Payne was also requested to write an article for the Bulletin regarding the Alumnae Fund.

Mrs. Brumble reported that her committee had decided that if we were to have a banquet at Homecoming, it must be formal. After a discussion, it was decided that we would make a formal banquet part of the program, and it was suggested by Mildred P. Stewart that we have caterers handle this.

A suggestion was made by Martha Swoope that in order not to discourage any Alumnae from attending Homecoming because of formal dress at the banquet, we could have an informal luncheon Saturday for Alumnae only, with a business meeting after.

After a discussion regarding registration fees for Homecoming to cover all expenses, a motion was made by Lib Davis and seconded, that there be a \$2 difference between the fee of the Alumnae who have paid 1947-1948 dues and those who have not paid. Carried.

It was suggested by Mildred P. Stewart and Camilla Payne that we have a musical program during the banquet, and it was also suggested by Pat Draz that there be a chapel program Sunday morning in the auditorium.

Lindlay Goolrick, Mildred P. Stewart, and Camilla Payne were appointed by the President as a committee to make definite plans for Homecoming; such as determining the registration fees, the question of a caterer, and general program.

The topic of a mutual social service project was discussed. It was suggested by Mildred P. Stewart that the Loyalty Day service which takes place at the college in the early Fall, be incorporated in our Alumnae Association and used as the theme and basis for our social service projects. A motion was made by Henrietta Echols and duly seconded, that we select "Loyalty Week" as a week of social service to be celebrated by the entire Alumnae Association beginning next Fall. This motion was carried.

Each chapter may carry out a program during this week which is suitable and beneficial in its own territory, and it was announced that all plans for each chapter's project are to be sent to Martha Swoope by the first of December, 1947.

The possibility of an Adult Education Program was suggested by Camilla Payne, who offered to work up plans and suggestions.

It was requested that all clippings or writeups concerning M. W. C. in any way be sent in duplicate to Lindlay Goolrick. One of these will be given to Mr. Reynold H. Brooks, publicity director at the college.

Elizabeth Moss, historian, asked that all chapter historians send clippings, notices, etc., to her for the alumnae scrap book.

Lindlay Goolrick stated that the "Battlefields" for the following years are not at the college and requested that we try to locate copies: 1918, 1919, 1921, 1924, 1932, 1936, 1938 and 1939.

Lindlay Goolrick read a letter of congratulation on our publication from Dr. Combs and also a letter from Dr. Darden acknowledging Lindlay's offer of the Alumnae Association's assistance.

Mary Annette Klinesmith was ap-

pointed by the president to obtain a schedule of the speaking tours which will be made by college faculty to contact high school seniors. This schedule is to be given to Martha Swoope in order that chapters will be notified in advance and will be prepared to be of assistance to the speakers in contacting these prospective students.

Most of the chapter representatives were not in a position to make pledges to the Alumnae Association, but Newport News pledged \$150 or more and Washington pledged \$100 to be paid \$50 at each board meeting, or more, if possible.

Martha Swoope expressed her appreciation to all the board members for their cooperation and hoped that they would work enthusiastically on the present programs.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

CAROL SCHWARTZ

Secretary.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

1946-1947

SAVINGS ACCOUNT

Balance on Hand September 10, 1946		\$1,278.44
Receipts:		
Dues:		
Full Life Membership	\$160.00	
Installments on Life Membership	480.00	
Contributions to Alumnae Fund	995.50	
Total Dues Collected	\$1,635.50	
Loan to Checking Repaid to Savings	100.00	
Interest Earned	19.25	
Total Receipts		1,754.75
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Less Loan to Checking June, 1947		500.00
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Balance on Hand September 5, 1947		\$2,533.19

CHECKING ACCOUNT

Balance on Hand September 10, 1946		\$ 292.11
Receipts:		
Dues Collected	\$ 828.00	
Loan from Savings June, 1947	500.00	
Total Receipts		1,328.00
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Disbursements:		
Loan repaid to Savings -----	\$	100.00
Expenses:		
Executive Secretary's Salary -----	\$556.40	
Social Security -----	9.00	
Income Tax -----	28.20	
Supplies and Equipment -----	178.69	
Special Printing Expenses -----	53.00	
Mailing and Postage Expense -----	130.00	
Playing Cards -----	130.09	
Homecoming Expense -----	106.50	
Telephone -----	36.15	
Emergency Fund for Executive Sec'ty	100.00	
Miscellaneous -----	36.00	
Total Expenses -----		1,364.03
Total Disbursements -----		1,464.03
Total		
Balance on Hand September 5, 1947 -----	\$	156.08

Respectfully submitted,
MARTHA SWOOPE, Treasurer

Audited by Glade Burnette

The Alumnae Fund

by

Mary Annette Klinesmith, '44, and
Mrs. Charles S. Payne (Camilla Moody, '29)

Now is the time for all of you, as alumnae of Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia, to concern yourselves with the problems of the Alumnae Association. Now is the time to redouble your efforts to achieve financial security for the association which honors and represents you. Never before has the need for your support been so pressing; never before has the immediate future offered such sanguine promise of expansive growth and noteworthy achievement.

On April 14th, 1945, the directors of the National Alumnae Association determined upon an Alumnae Fund. A goal of \$5,000, to be accrued within the span of two years, was then set. The immediate needs were the establishment of an Alumnae office at the college and the employment of an Executive Secre-

tary to manage and coordinate the business affairs of the Association. To date, we have an office at the college and we have a secretary fulfilling the functions so designated. These are no small achievements; they are significant, rather, of serious purpose and definite progress toward desired ends. Still, there is much room for improvement and continued advancement. There is much to be done toward the building of a strongly united alumnae group, prevailing in influence, powerful in action. It should be borne in mind that financing the Alumnae Association is only a secondary purpose of the Alumnae Fund,—only a means by which the highest and final objectives of the Association may be realized.

Let us think of the Alumnae Fund as a growing, living endowment, with our

annual contributions to the Fund the interest on that endowment. Our basic endowment should be \$300,000. If each alumnae contributed a minimum sum of only \$2.00 a year, the total would approximate \$9,000, or the equivalent of a three per cent interest on an active endowment of \$300,000. Surely this is not an impossible goal for us to envision and reach. Surely the graduates of Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia have the desire and the ability to broaden the scope of their interests, to enlarge the sphere of their influence, to develop and mature even as their college is doing.

Each alumna owes to Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia at least a measure of whatever success she has attained. The Alumnae Fund offers to each alumna a concrete means for an expression of gratitude commensurate with financial ability. Any amount will be appreciated and gratefully received. No contribution, however small, will fail to enhance the weight of the total effort. Special gifts may be appropriated according to the wishes of the donor.

If you are a life member of the Alumnae Association, this is your opportunity to contribute directly to our financial security, and, indirectly, to our planned efforts for rapid development. If your life membership is paid in part, by all means continue with your annual installments. If you have already forwarded your national dues for the current year, encourage other known alumnae to become contributing members of the Association. The aim is 100 per cent participation rather than any specified monetary goal.

Following is a list of the fifteen leading alumni funds throughout the country. (The statistics were compiled by Bernard P. Taylor, Director for Funds, The American Alumni Council). The alumni of these eminent institutions have well demonstrated their gratitude and devotion to their respective schools. Why should Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia not assume a proper place among these prominent fifteen? We, too, must express vital interest and lasting loyalty by affording material support to our National Alumnae Association. If this year's Alumnae Fund Campaign is to be successful, it

will require a contribution from every previous giver and from all who have never before given. Won't you make your contribution NOW?

THE FIFTEEN LEADING ALUMNI FUNDS

College or University	Total Amt. of Fund
1. Dartmouth -----	\$416,678
2. Yale -----	367,903
3. Harvard -----	300,000
4. Ohio State -----	299,796
5. Cornell -----	283,086
6. Chicago -----	220,186
7. Princeton -----	216,234
8. Stanford -----	178,303
9. Notre Dame -----	175,329
10. Vassar -----	175,277
11. M. I. T. -----	165,273
12. Syracuse -----	134,548
13. Texas A. and M. -----	78,593
14. Wellesley -----	87,861
15. Smith -----	74,051

Note: Life Membership dues are \$20.00 and may be paid in four installments of \$5.00 each. National dues are \$2.00 per year. National dues, as well as contributions to the Alumnae Fund, should be sent to: Miss Glade Burnette, Treasurer, 618 Murray Ave., S. E., Roanoke, Virginia.

NOTICE

The Alumnae Office has a supply of Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia playing cards which would make ideal gifts. The two decks, with the M.W.C. seal, are blue and grey, and sell for \$1.75 per set. Send your order immediately to Box 1011, College Station, Fredericksburg, Virginia.

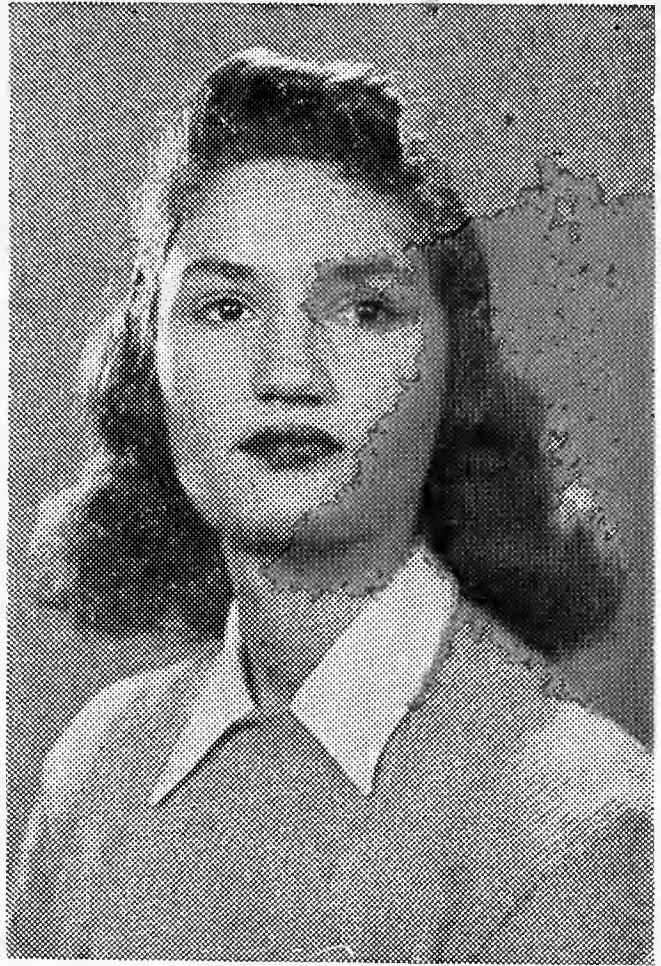
Thanks to the Class of '47

The Alumnae Association believes that the Class of '47 deserves special praise for their enthusiasm and interest in our organization of which they are now a big part. This class was the first one to pledge themselves one hundred per cent to become members of the Association even before their graduation, and we are sure, now that they are members, that these girls will play leading roles in the building of an already fine organization into an even better one.

The Class of '47 showed their leadership ability when they set a precedent at Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia last June. At their graduation there was a ceremony for the new members of the Association which was suggested to us by Jean McCausland, President of the Class, when she talked to us at our Homecoming Tea last April, 1947. It was truly their idea, and one they converted into a real and unforgettable occasion.

The ceremony took place on graduation day just after they had received their diplomas. The class marched out of George Washington Auditorium, and instead of breaking their line as they usually do, they walked on to the lawn in front of Westmoreland and formed a huge circle. Then two alumnae went around the circle giving each girl her membership card to the Association as the graduates sang their Alma Mater and "Auld Lang Syne". It was an exceedingly impressive sight and a memorable day, as it marked the end of their school days as students, and the beginning of their time as members of the Alumnae Association through which they will carry on their interest in Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia.

Statistics from the office of Dean Edward Alvey, Jr. show that the members of the class of '47 have chosen interesting and diversified fields of work. Many girls are taking graduate study. The graduate and professional schools which they are attending are George Peabody College, University of North Carolina, Law School-University of Puerto Rico, College of Physicians and Surgeons (N. Y. C.), Richmond School of Social Work, Johns-Hopkins



Miss Jean McCausland
Lynchburg, Virginia
President of the Class of '47

Hospital, Columbia Bible College (N. Y. C.), Peabody Conservatory, Julliard School of Music, Montefiore Hospital (Pittsburgh), and Art Students League (N. Y. C.) and Chicago Art Institute—junior scholarships awarded by the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts.

Assistants and secretaries have been appointed to the faculties and staffs of the Medical College of Virginia, Biochemical Laboratory of the University of Virginia, University of Maryland, Cedar Crest, Coker and Hampden-Sydney Colleges, Army Institute of Pathology, Southern Seminary and Junior College, and Highland Manor School and Junior College (West Longbranch, N. J.).

Over a hundred graduates are teaching—two at the Naval Operating Base, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, and one in Puerto Rico. Sixty or more in the business world have secretarial, editorial, radio, laboratory, government, hospital and social service positions. A score more have trainee positions in hospitals and hotels, and several are with church,

Y. W. C. A. and welfare organizations.

Other members of the Class of '47 have positions with such firms as Peoples Life Insurance, New York Telephone, Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock, Planters Nut and Chocolate, Dupont, Eastman Kodak, Statler Hotels,

and American Cyanide Companies; U. S. Public Health Service; Trans World Air Lines; Harris Research Laboratories; Dahlgren Naval Proving Grounds; Station WTAG; Federal Reserve Bank, Station WRNL and Division of Motor Vehicles, Richmond, Virginia.

Chapter Reports

Fredericksburg Chapter

President—Lois Mildred Dent, '43.

Secretary—Ruth (Embrey) Jenkins, '44.

Corresponding Secretary—Gertrude (Richardson) Cox, '40.

Treasurer—Angelina (Trotta) Miller, '44.

Director—Mary Annette Klinesmith, '44.

In accordance with instructions from our National Association, the Fredericksburg Chapter has had as its goal during the past year the development of a better understanding of the tie between our local chapters and the national organization. We are fortunate, indeed, in having as our faculty advisor to the association, Mildred P. Stewart, '28, also a member of our local chapter. At the opening meeting of our fiscal year, September, 1947, Mildred spoke to us, following dinner at the Fredericksburg County Club. Then again, following our board meeting at Virginia Beach, she brought us a message. These talks have left us with a desire to push our organization as a well-informed, thinking group first; and, second, as a social light among ourselves.

Our national president's wish, as voiced at our last board meeting, is already being heeded in Fredericksburg. We are staunch contributors, with representatives in all organizations, to the Red Cross, Community Chest, Youth Program and smaller civic groups. We have established a Clothing Bank as our welfare project for the year. This Clothing Bank is set up in the Elementary School, and will provide for needy children in that school. As a group and individually, our chapter stands solidly behind this latest effort of our organization.

But, all has not been dull routine here! In the fall we conducted our annual historical tour of the city for the incoming freshmen. For the first time on record



Miss Mildred Lois Dent, '43
President of the Fredericksburg
Chapter

we were asked by a new professor if he might join us in this trek! With the beginning of the year, we also re-opened our monthly bridge parties. These are always very successful and help to boost our membership.

No article for an Alumnae Bulletin would be completed without a financial side. Our bridge parties have brought in \$91.00; the rummage sale, \$73.00; and, the radio raffle, \$85.45. Credit for these successes is given to Helen (Van-

denberg) Hall, '29, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, and her able assistants.

Our Program Committee, headed by Margaret (Peyton) Wyatt, took charge of our annual Christmas party given in honor of the Alumnae Daughters,

local and vicinity high school senior girls, and the Fredericksburg girls attending M.W.C. of the U. of Va.

We are still growing, though the more recent chapters may look on us as "oldsters," and as we grow, so grows our National Association.

Greater New York Chapter

OFFICERS

President—Patricia Draz, '47
 Vice-President—Helen Kikis, '42
 Secretary—Peg Klenck, '44
 Treasurer—Ruth Hartmann
 Co-Director—Jayne Anderson, '44
 Parliamentarian—Jean Boyce, '47
 Historian—Dorothy Meyerowitz, '42
 Corresponding Secretary—Peg (Faulkner) Griffin, '44

Our chapter has held all of its meetings this year at Schrafft's, 43rd Street and Lexington Avenue, New York City. Our first meeting of the year was on September 20th which we devoted mainly to welcoming new members. Our November meeting was on the 22nd, and we made final plans for our Christmas dance which was to be held on December 27th. However, the weather put a definite stop to the dance, and so it was postponed until the Spring. All the arrangements for the dance had been made and it looked as if it were going to be quite a success. It was to be at the Beekman Towers Hotel, 50th Street and 1st Avenue, New York City with Larry Kent and his Orchestra supplying the music. A record had been sent to us from M.W.C. of the U. of Va. made by the glee club and choir there which we were going to play to the crowd during intermission. We were all very disappointed that we could not carry out our plans.

On February 14th, we held our third meeting of the year. On March 30th, we will hold a Luncheon Bridge and Fashion Show. This will be open to outsiders, and we are expecting it to be a gala affair. April 24th will be our fourth meeting of the year at which time we will elect new officers, and on June 19th, our final meeting of the year, the new officers will be installed.

PERSONALS

Patricia Anne Draz, '47, President of the New York Chapter, is engaged to Warren Glaser.

Abbie McBride, '46, was married to



Miss Patricia Anne Draz, '47
 President of the Greater New York
 Chapter

Arthur Travis on June 14th, 1947. They are now at 964 Constant Avenue, Peekskill, New York.

Ellen Lillis, '43, was married to Robert McClarion of England on September 27th in Peekskill, New York.

Grace Hannon, '44, is now Mrs. Joseph Roe. Joe is a captain in the U.S. Army Medical Corps, stationed at Lyons Hospital. They are at 131 Lincoln Avenue, Ridgewood, N. J.

Ginny (Hutchinson) Bogart is the proud mother of Thomas Robert Bogart, born August 17th, 1947. She and her husband are in Lansing, Michigan.

Judy (Preminger) Rappaport, '43, is back from Galveston, Texas. Her husband, in the Public Health Service, is stationed in Staten Island.

Norfolk Chapter

President—Rebecca (Stratton) Whitehurst, '39
 Vice-President—Henrietta (Roberts) Echols, '39
 Recording Secretary—Dorothy Tucker, '31
 Corresponding Secretary—Louise (Burroughs) Ruddick, '46
 Treasurer—Elizabeth Goffigon, '47
 Publicity Director—Louise (Raiford) Lowell, '26
 Director—Margaret Lambert, '43

This year the Norfolk Chapter is holding a monthly meeting on the 4th Saturday of each month, 1:30 P. M., at the Ames and Brownley Tea Room. These are luncheon meetings with a short program following the business session. Our meetings in the fall were very successful, and we believe that this new meeting time and place have attracted many more alumnae in this area.

Our December meeting was held the Saturday following Christmas, and even though it was during the holidays, the attendance was good and everyone seemed to enjoy it very much. For our January luncheon we had as our guest Rabbi Stern who gave a very interesting review of "Peace of Mind." At this meeting, we elected new officers who were installed in February, and discussed a subscription card party to be held in the spring as well as smaller parties to be given in the homes of individual members of our chapter. Our social service program for the year is still in the formative stage. However, in December we prepared a basket of food for a needy family, and during January we took books to the Marine Hospital in Norfolk.

We have issued news letters each month to our members which we believe create interest among our members, and help to inform non-members of our activities.

Each week a few of our members meet for an hour of bowling and later have dinner together.

PERSONALS FROM NORFOLK AREA

Weddings

Dorothy Diehl Sullivan to Robert H. Denton, in Norfolk, November, 1946.

Louise Burroughs, '46, to Shelburn Ruddick, Jr., in Norfolk, June, 1947.

Henrietta Roberts, '39, to Eugene E.



Miss Margaret Elizabeth Lambert
 '43

Immediate Past President and
 present Director of the
 Norfolk Chapter

Echols, in Norfolk, July 26th, 1947.

Mary E. Sides, '42, to Ernest George Quinton, in December, 1947. Before her marriage Mary held a position as secretary at the Canal Zone Junior College. She and her husband are now living in Cocoli, Canal Zone. Mary is a former member of the Norfolk Chapter.

Rose Everton is engaged to William Madison Pollard. The wedding will take place sometime in March.

Stork News

Ruth (Seay) Schneider, '42,—a daughter—January, 1947.

Frances (Boggs) Wilson—a daughter—June, 1947.



The Opening Luncheon of the Peninsula Chapter held October 4th, 1947. Left to right are Miss Penelope Constance Critzos of Newport News, Virginia; Miss Mildred P. Stewart of Fredericksburg, Virginia, Faculty Advisor for the Alumnae Association and Guest Speaker at the luncheon; and Mrs. Ralph G. Newsome of Hampton, Virginia, President of the Peninsula Chapter.

Gwendolyn (Miller) Reams—a son—October, 1947.

Janie (Crowder) Castle, '39,—a daughter—October, 1946.

Here and There

Ruth (Whitehead) Owen, '35, is with her husband in Germany where he is stationed at the present time.

Vera (Diehl) Simmons has joined her husband who is stationed in San Juan.

Elizabeth Spencer left Norfolk just before Christmas for a two year assignment in Japan. We understand she is an Army hostess there.

Peninsula Chapter

Our opening luncheon was held on October 4th at Green Acres in Hampton, Virginia. Mildred P. Stewart, faculty advisor for the National Association, came to Hampton as our special guest

speaker for the occasion. She gave us an inspiring talk, and we were delighted and honored to have her with us. Our regular November meeting was held on the 24th at St. John's Parish House, at which time we had as our guests twelve boys and girls from Warwick High School who gave us a wonderful program of music. We also saw a short educational film.

We are truly enthusiastic about our Christmas dance which was held on December 19th. The dance took place at the Original Club with a very nice orchestra, printed programs and all the Christmas trimmings. The tickets sold for \$2.10 per couple, and our Welfare and Scholarship Fund benefited from the sale of each ticket.

In February we had our annual Valentine Card Party on the 19th. Our regular meeting will be held on March 22nd at the Phoebus Women's Clubhouse, and

we will have our annual Spring Banquet on May 7th.

We feel very proud that we are now publishing a monthly news bulletin which is edited and circulated to every one of our members by Lenore (Daugherty) Hulcher. It is an indication to us that our chapter is steadily making progress.

PERSONALS

Frances Mays, '35, has been appointed assistant to Dr. Jack, director of physical Education for the State Department of Education.

Bertha (Larrabee) Carr, '42, is working on her Master's at Columbia University during the summer months.

Edna (Daniels) Smith, '37, is teaching music at the Morrison High School.

Georgia Blake, '43, enjoyed quite an extended trip to California and the West during her vacation time.

Grace (Schultz) Britton, '38, is teaching science and biology at Hampton High School. Her aunt, Miss Helen Schultz, is with the Science Department at M.W.C.

Carrie Vaughan, '31, received her Master's from the University of Tennessee this past summer, and is now working as director of school cafeterias in Newport News. She is a member of the Phi Kappa Phi honorary fraternity.



Mrs. Ralph G. Newsome
(Barbara McGrath, '31)
President of the Peninsula
Chapter

Pennie Critzos, '43, has recently come back from Denver where she spent two weeks visiting Myron (Russell) Ten Eyck, '43.

Richmond Chapter

New officers (September 1st, 1947 to August 31st, 1949)

President—Katherine (Tompkins) Brumble, '44.

1st Vice-President—Barbara (Parker) Chalkley, ex '44.

2nd Vice-President—Louise Luter Parker.

Corresponding Secretary—Virginia Lee (Hazelwood) Snellings, ex '44

Recording Secretary—Emma (Ziegler) Brown, '40.

Treasurer—Kathryn (Spivey) Tuck, ex '44.

Historian—Mary Anne (Meyer) Woody, ex '44.

Committee Chairmen

Program—Betty Lou Carrier, '44.

Finance—Virginia Samuels, '45.

Membership—Elsie Stone, ex '44.

Publicity—Nellie Gray Gooch, '44.

The Richmond Chapter had its November meeting on the 1st. Miss Margaret Swander, personnel director at M.W.C., was guest speaker.

On December 12th, the Richmond Chapter held its much awaited and planned for bridge party at St. Mark's Episcopal Church. Betty Lou Carrier, '44, and her committee were in charge

of the sale of tickets and the party. There were twenty tables of bridge. During Christmas, the Richmond Chapter girls had hoped to entertain the Richmond Mary Washington College girls home for their vacation, but due to unfavorable weather it was postponed until the Easter holidays.

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New officers of the Richmond Chapter, (left to right): Mrs. William D. Brumble (Katherine Tompkins, '44) President; Mrs. J. R. Tuck (Kathryn Spivey, ex '44) Treasurer; Mrs. A. C. Chalkley (Barbara Parker, ex '44) 1st Vice-President; and Mrs. E. Parker Brown (Emma Ziegler, '40) Recording Secretary.



**Mrs. William D. Brumble,
(Katherine Tompkins, '44)**
President of the Richmond Chapter

Richmond Chapter (Continued)

A call meeting was held on February 11th for all Alumnae of M.W.C. of the U. of Va. who were interested in becoming members of the association. Lindlay Goolrick, '44, executive secretary, and Lois Dent, '43, president of the Fredericksburg Chapter, Mary Annette Kline-smith, '44, director of the Fredericksburg Chapter, were guests of the Richmond Chapter at its meeting in March.

The Richmond girls are planning another bridge party for April and a garden party in June.

PERSONALS

Weddings

Donald Holden, '41, of Petersburg to Otto Carl Jaretz, Jr.

Frances Wills, '43, to James Seth Stevens.

Virginia Lee Hazlewood, ex '44, to Thomas P. Snellings.

Anna Brauer, '41, to Thomas Oxenham.

Nancy Virginia Penn, '45, to Adolph Jenkins Honeycutt, Jr.

Leah R. Fleet, '44, to Raymond Taylor Waller.

Jo Warren Hutt, '45, to James V. Reidelback.

Engagement

Kathleen Adams, ex '44, of Charlot-

tesville, to Frank Thomasson, Jr.

Other Items

Virginia (Waring) Minges, '43, has a daughter, Patricia Page Minges, born December 27th, 1947. Virginia's husband, Dr. Ray Minges, has just recently returned from Alaska where he served some time with the U.S. Army. Virginia and her daughter, Barbara, returned last year.

Martha Anne Woody is the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Woody, Jr. (Mary Anne Meyer, ex '44), born December 10th, 1947.

Barbara (Parker) Chalkley, ex '44, has a baby daughter, Jane Courtney, born July 26th, 1947.

Betty (Sowers) Majeske, ex '44, of Baltimore, has a son, Billy, born in March, 1947.

Roanoke Chapter

At the end of our spring session, 1947, an entertainment was planned by our chapter for our members to be held in July. We had a moonlight picnic in July on top of Mill Mountain near Roanoke at which time five new members of our chapter were honored. After a bright fire had started blazing and names had been exchanged, great piles of food began to appear on the tables. Hot dogs, chili sauce, potato salad and all the edibles that make a picnic perfect were there. Later in the evening, we were entertained royally by Mr. Edwin Elliott, a well-known singer from Roanoke, who was our guest for the occasion. He sang a program of his own and then asked for favorites from the girls.

This year has held much in store for us, and we hope that we have and will measure up to all the programs that our National Association has set as a goal for us. Our six meetings for this year are as follows: December 8th, an evening meeting at the Hotel Patrick Henry at which time we had a guest speaker on interior decorating; December 27th, an afternoon tea at Jane McCorkindale's home for Roanoke students attending Mary Washington who were home for the holidays, and the alumnae; January 12th, a business meeting at the Hotel Patrick Henry after which two of our alumnae gave a musical; February 14th, a luncheon meeting at the Hotel Patrick Henry when, in honor of St. Valentine's Day, we had a concert pianist who gave



Miss Betty Haley, '43
President of the Roanoke Chapter

us the story of the origins of several famous love songs; March 8th was hobby night following our business meeting at the Hotel Patrick Henry, and on April 3rd our year will close with our annual luncheon at the Roanoke Hotel.

PERSONALS

Betty Nelms, '35, is now employed in the Medical Claims Department of the Veterans Administration, Richmond, Virginia. Her address is the Hotel Jefferson, Richmond, Virginia.

Mrs. George W. Foxwell (Dorothy Woods, '41) has a new daughter, Ann Lee, born June 27th, 1947. Her other daughter, Dorothy Jane, is now two and a half years old.

Mrs. Cleatus Vaughan (Helen Pitts, '43) is with her husband in Norman, Oklahoma. Helen is teaching in the Norman High School, and Cleatus is studying pharmacy at the University of Oklahoma.

Mrs. William Tench (Mary Lou McBroom, '42) has gone to Alaska to join her husband, Bill, who will be stationed there for two years.

Doris Crowder, '43, became the bride of Floyd Thomas the first of December and is now making her home in Roanoke.



Miss Elizabeth Hancock Davis, '44
President of the Washington, D. C. Chapter

Washington Chapter

The first fall meeting of the year was a luncheon in September at the Iron Gate Inn. We were pleased to have with us Mildred P. Stewart, faculty advisor of the National Association, and Martha Swoope, national president of the Alumnae Association. Plans were completed for a Silver Club which is sponsored by a local jeweler. To be a member of the Silver Club, each person pays \$2.00 a month for ten months for which she receives \$20.00 worth of merchandise at the end of that time. For the member, the easy payments make it a less painful way of buying \$20.00 worth of silver, and at the same time, the chapter is given ten percent of all purchases made at this store.

During November we had social meetings in each area—Alexandria, Arlington and Washington. This was done so that all girls from their respective areas could be hostesses to the chapter.

Our seventh anniversary dinner was held on December 6th. Our guests of honor were Dr. and Mrs. Edward Alvey, Mildred P. Stewart and Lindlay Goolrick. After dinner, Dr. Alvey showed slides of the college.

On January 31st, we held a business-luncheon meeting at the Iron Gate Inn in Washington. We had reports on our social welfare project for the year. For our project we have decided that we will make scrapbooks to be given to children at hospitals in and around the Washington area. We also discussed a rummage sale which we plan to have just before Easter.

Our chapter is making a concerted effort to bring our files up-to-date, and to contact personally every Mary Washington College alumna in this area.

Our first Newsletter was published in November, and sent to each member of our chapter. In the future, we plan to

publish this every two months.

PERSONALS

Laura (Conlon) Jamison, '40, has a baby girl, Laura Margaret, born December 13th, 1947.

Carolyn Watts, '44, visited friends in Florida during the Christmas holidays.

Doris Lippold, '47, is engaged to Francis Burns of Holyoke, Mass. The wedding will take place this June.

Ruth (Shield) Ferry, '43, has a young daughter, Sandra Ruth, born August 15th, 1947.

Mary (Wallace) Huskey, '43, has a daughter, Mary Ann, born November 11, 1947.

Campus News

Wednesday, October 1st, was declared a holiday for the students and faculty of M.W.C. of the U. of Va., so that they could attend the formal inauguration of Colgate W. Darden, Jr., as president of the University of Virginia. The M.W.C. of the U. of Va. Student Government Association sponsored buses for students who wished to see this historic ceremony which had been conducted only twice before.

Officers of the Senior Class this year are: Lois Saunier, president; Ellen Dyer, vice-president; Mary Garland Holland, secretary; Anne Gregg, treasurer; and Barbara Ann Thomas, historian.

The alumnae are very proud to announce that Mary Annette Klinesmith, '44, is back at Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia now as a faculty member with the Department of Psychology. In 1944-45, Mary Annette was an educational research scholar at Ohio State University, and was the first person ever to be granted this honor. She received her Master's Degree in June, 1945, after which she returned to Ohio State University as a Teaching Fellow. Then she did advance study and research toward her Ph.D. Aside from her many other duties here on campus, she has been chosen by the Alumnae Daughters Club as their sponsor, and elected director for the Fredericksburg Alumnae Chapter.

The first week in October has been chosen as Yram Week here at M.W.C. of the U. of Va. Actually Yram is Mary

spelled backwards, and that week is the time when the students demonstrate their love and loyalty for Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia. The week began on Monday when the seniors, dressed in green and white with matching beanies, gave a skit in Chandler Circle after lunch. Tuesday was Junior Day and their colors were moroon and white. Thursday was Sophomore Day and Friday was Freshman Day when all 600 of them came out in their red and white. Their skit featured a take-off on their first impressions of M.W.C. Friday night the student body took part in the impressive service of Loyalty Night. The following is a description of Loyalty Night by Reynold Brooks, publicity director for M.W.C. of the U. of Va., as he saw it for the first time:

"A waning hunter's moon, flashlights gleaming momentarily like fireflies along the woodland paths, subdued voices, muted crickets and treetoads, an open space on a beautifully wooded campus with a tree-studded hillside for a backdrop against which a wheel-sized replica of the college seal is silhouetted flickeringly by a flaming torch directly in front of the one it duplicates—this is the background.

"A slender girl steps forward and reads a poem. She explains the meaning of the colors in the seal, its spinning wheel, torch and motto PRO DEO DOMO PATRIA.

"From the flame she lights a taper

while a choir of girls sings the Alma Mater. Reverently, four figures approach and light their candles from the taper and return to light the candles of their respective classmates.

"A thousand girls take up the refrain of Alma Mater and "Why Do We Love You?" Slowly they circle past the college seal. A thousand lighted candles pinpoint the shadows along the woodland path and up the hillside and around the college quadrangle.

"Thus ends Loyalty Week at Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia in Fredericksburg—upperclassmen renewing their loyalty pledges, confirmed in their love for their college and strengthened by the close friendships made; freshmen, awed by the scene, fervently vowing their loyalty, too; faculty members and alumnae musing on wasted moments of the past and unfulfilled dreams, envying with sweet sadness youth, its opportunities and its future."

The Mike Club, the radio organization on the hill operating and maintaining station WMWC, formally inducted 35 members at a recent meeting. The club now has an enrollment of 55 members, all of whom are associated with various committees such as engineering, script-writing, producing and publicity. Regular broadcasting resumed this year on October 27th from 3:00 to 4:45 P. M., with "Dawn Patrol" as usual at 7:30 A. M. Two 15 minute shows on Tuesday and Thursday of each week are produced over the local station Fredericksburg WFVA.

Say, this is news to the alumnae. Seniors who have been placed on the Dean's list either the last semester of their junior year or the first semester of their senior year are being given the responsibility of their own class attendance. However, there must be a minimum class attendance of three-fourths of the periods in order that a student receive credit. No student may receive credit for a course meeting three times a week from which she has been absent more than twelve times during the semester, whether excused or unexcused, or for a course meeting five times a week from which she has been absent more than twenty times during the semester.

Thirteen Mary Washington seniors recently received their nomination to the pages of "Who's Who Among Students

in American Universities and Colleges, '47-'48." The students were chosen by college officials on the basis of "outstanding effort and accomplishment in academic work, extracurricular activities, and service to the school." The nominees, soon to receive certificate awards, are Sarah Margaret Armstrong, Student Government president; Barbara June D'Armond, Athletic Recreation Association president; Louise Corling Ellett, Forensic Club; Yanina A. Giera, president of Chi Beta Phi science fraternity; Helen Joan Goode, newspaper editor; Ann Nicholson Gregg, Alpha Psi Omega dramatic fraternity president; Mary Ann Ross, president of Alpha Phi Sigma scholastic fraternity; Lois Saunier, Senior Class president; Gwendolyn Maclin Simmons, yearbook editor; Charlotte Dean Smith, president of the International Relations Club; Jane Milton Sumpter, president of Mu Phi Epsilon music fraternity; Dorothea Vanderslice, president of Cap and Gown senior honor society; and Martha Annette Warriner, Y.W.C.A. president.

The Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia Military Band performed at the University of Virginia-University of Richmond game in Charlottesville, Saturday, November 1st. The band formed the letters "U" and "V" on the field, and also spelled out a huge "HELLO" before the stands.

The Virginia State Hockey Tournament was held at M.W.C. of the U. of Va. on November 7th and 8th. Teams from all over Virginia participated in the event. The selection committee placed three M.W.C. of the U. of Va. players on the All-Virginia Squad. They were Betty Phillips, left inner; Doris Black, right inner; and Lee Cotten, center forward. After eliminations were held Saturday, November 8th, two M.W.C. of the U. of Va. girls, Betty Phillips and Doris Black, were asked to attend further eliminations at Sweetbriar the following weekend.

The first program in the Lyceum series was held on Friday, November 7th. It was the opera, "Madame Butterfly."

The following are some of the major changes which have been made in the "Bayonet:"

1. Any two students with escorts may ride in a private or public conveyance as a means of transportation to and

from Saturday afternoon movies and Sunday noon dinner in town.

2. Two convocation cuts and four chapel cuts each semester—every fourth convocation is student body meeting.

3. Lights out at 12:00 every Saturday night.

4. Granting of individual light cuts by house presidents for emergencies.

5. Blanket permissions filled out in the beginning of the year by parents listing privileges allowed the students during the year. This does away with individual permissions.

6. Two or more seniors, with escorts, may go to the movies on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday nights in public or private conveyances as a means of transportation, signing out and in with the hostess and returning to the campus by 10:30 P. M.

7. Juniors, two or more, may ride with dates in the afternoon twice a week until 5:30, provided they have permission from their parents to this effect on file with the Dean of Women. These rides must be within a radius of 10 miles from the campus. Students must sign out with the hostess and check in with her on returning.

At the inauguration of Dr. Frank Bell Lewis as president of Mary Baldwin College on November 18th, the American Association of Universities was represented by former Governor Colgate W. Darden, Jr., the University by Dr. M. L. Combs, and Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia by Dean Edward Alvey, Jr.

The National Alumnae Office has received a letter from Dr. Carroll Quenzel, librarian, who said that the M.W.C. library has a complete file of the "Battlefield" except for the following years: 1918, 1919, 1921, 1932 and 1936. He suggested that perhaps some of the alumnae would be willing to donate or to sell one or more copies of the "Battlefield" that the library lacks. So, if you have any one of these copies which you would be willing to give, we would be most appreciative.

Dr. E. Boyd Graves, associate professor of philosophy here at M.W.C. of the U. of Va., has been appointed as specialist in education attached to Headquarters Staff of the Commanding Officer of the United States Forces in Austria. Dr. and Mrs. Graves left for Vienna the first of February, 1948. Miss

Glenna Graves, a senior at Mary Washington, will join her parents after graduation. Dr. Graves has been granted a two-year leave of absence in order to accept this appointment with the army. He is a graduate of William and Mary College and has been on the faculty here since 1937.

Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia has invited over 1300 colleges and junior colleges to the Grand National Forensic Tournament to be held March 25-27th, 1948. Grand president of the tourney is Miss Anne Louise Williams, a senior from Asbury Park, New Jersey. This will be the third annual tournament to be held here.

Miss Margaret Swander, director of student personnel and supervisor of off-campus students, has been elected sponsor of the freshman class.

Transcriptions of Christmas music performed by the choir, glee club and soloists and recorded by members of the radio department were broadcast by nineteen Virginia stations, two in Florida, one in Texas, one in West Virginia and one in Washington, D. C. Several Massachusetts stations expressed regret that their schedules were already complete when the records were offered. Excellent publicity about this unique experiment appeared in the New York Herald Tribune, Washington Post, News Leader and Times-Dispatch of Richmond, Virginia and the Free Lance-Star in Fredericksburg and other newspapers. In Tampa, many telephone requests came in after one of the broadcasts and it was later repeated.

Miss Mildred P. Stewart, head of the health and physical education department, was one of twenty-five working in the field of college training in recreation invited to the New York conference on leadership January 21st through 23rd. The affair was under the sponsorship of the National Association of Health, Physical Education and Recreation, the National Recreation Association and New York University.

Miss Dorothy Duggan, head of the art department, has been awarded first prize for her wood engraving entitled "Morning Light," a Fredericksburg scene. The cash prize was given by the Print Club of Philadelphia which is now holding its 22nd annual woodcut and engraving show. The print will become

the property of the Philadelphia Museum of Art.

Dr. Herman R. Reichenbach, assistant professor of music, has been elected an honorary corresponding member of the International Folk Music Council whose headquarters are in London.

Alumnae, please note the following and oblige by writing in your opinions: the student body of Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia wish to adopt a new "Alma Mater" which first came into existence as the result of a song contest in 1947. The song was written by Irene Taylor and Jean Crotty both of the class of '47. Just recently a group of girls got up a petition of 532 names who wanted the change. After this, the whole student body voted

in favor of the new song with the exception of about twenty girls. However, before Sarah Armstrong, president of the Student Government, presents the song to Dr. Combs for the approval of the administration, she wishes to get the opinion of the alumnae on the change. Your opinion will be considered seriously, so please write to Sarah Armstrong, Box 1193, College Station, Fredericksburg, Virginia. Recordings and sheet music are being made of the "Alma Mater" to send to all alumnae chapters, and arrangements will be made to have it played at Homecoming when the alumnae as a body can hear it and express their opinion on it. When you write, please give your class date.

News of the Alumnae

Margaret Thompson, '41, is now instructor of health and physical education at Florida State University, Tallahassee, Florida.

Margaret Moran, '43, is instructor of health and physical education at the University of Oregon. Peggy received her Master's Degree from Texas State College for Women in June, 1947.

Jacequelyn VanGaasbeck, '45, is instructor of dance at the University of Nevada, Reno, Nevada.

Martha Holloway, '45, is instructor of health and physical education at Texas State College for Women, Denton, Texas. She is also working on her Master's Degree.

Emmy Lou Kilby, '44, is head of the Dance Department at Bryn Mawr College, Pennsylvania.

June Stoll, '40, is in Geneva, Switzerland working with Displaced Persons. She recently had a leave which she spent traveling in Poland and Palestine. Her address is 10 Avenue, St. Paul, Geneva, Switzerland.

Eleanor Dobson, '46, has been appointed assistant cataloger of the library at Dickinson College.

Lee Marsh, '45, is teaching at Hood College in Frederick, Maryland.

Virginia Crowder, Anne Haley and Carolyn Williams, all from the class of '47, are studying voice in New York. Virginia Crowder is working with Margaret Matzenauer, the famous opera star.

The alumnae office recently received a letter from Mary (Bowen) Clatterbuck, '30, who wrote that she has a fifteen year old daughter, Frances, and an eleven year old son, Freddie. Other members of the class of '30 that she wrote about are Alice Ballard, now Mrs. Wallace Householder, and Susie Baker, now Mrs. Gus Bragg who lives in Culpeper, Virginia, and teaches the first grade there.

Elizabeth (Stallings) Sharpe, '46, wrote us that she has been traveling around with her husband who is in the Army, and since the first of 1947 she has lived in New York, California, Texas and Florida. Her one permanent address is Box 1073, College Station, Fredericksburg, Virginia.

The following is a list of girls from the class of '44 who have been and are working on their Master's and Ph.D's.

Ava Clark received her Master's from the University of Pennsylvania and did such outstanding work there that she was requested to stay on for another year as an instructor. However, she has now gone on to Harvard to work for her Ph.D.

Ruth Tyler is at Harvard University working toward her Ph.D. in Education.

Sally Roller and Shirley Parkhill entered Yale University for advanced work. Sally enrolled in the Divinity School and Shirley in the School of Nursing.

Jean DeShazo has been taking graduate work in the field of commerce at V.P.I. during the summer months.

Beverly Munn did graduate work at Harvard University in physiotherapy.

Yvonne Thompson entered Columbia University in the field of music.

Willa Jones is doing special work toward her Master's at the Richmond division of William and Mary.

Coleen Neal is taking advanced work at the Medical College of Virginia in Richmond.

Jean Feaster began advanced study at Northwestern, but had to leave due

to an eye condition.

Elizabeth Helvastine has been doing graduate work at the University of Kentucky.

The Alumnae Office would appreciate very much your sending in the names of the M.W.C. of the U. of Va. girls who are now doing graduate work. We would like to have as accurate a record as possible on this. Also, please send in to us all changes of address, married names and any other information which is necessary to our files.

Marriages

Hope Massie Cosby, ex '45, of Arlington, Virginia, became the bride of Bankhead Thornton Davis, also of Arlington. Previous to her marriage, Hope was employed in the National Gallery of Art in Washington, D. C. Hope's husband is assistant to the commonwealth's Attorney in Arlington.

Lois Ruth Foggin of Staten Island, New York, was married to Robert C. Wigand, Jr., also of Staten Island. Their wedding was held on November 8th. Lois attended Mary Washington College and was graduated from St. Luke's Hospital School of Nursing.

Lois Ann Gray, ex '48, of Blacksburg, Virginia, was married to Curtis Delp Givens of Martinsville, Virginia. The wedding was held on August 2nd.

Marion Edythe Timberlake, '39, of Sweet Hall, King William County, Virginia, was married to Captain Robert O. Yobs of Columbia, South Carolina. The wedding took place in August.

Frances Lewis, ex '48, of Walnut Point, Virginia, was married to James Edward Ames, III, of Richmond, Virginia. The wedding was on August 13th.

Martha Isabel Tavenner, '42, of Clifton Forge, Virginia, was married to Henry Clifton Sutherland, also of Clifton Forge, on October 25th.

Margaret R. Sadler of Arlington, Virginia, was married to Elgin B. Kirby, also of Arlington, on August 16th.

Almeda Hill, '41, of Clifton Forge, Virginia was married to Robert Mitchell Scott of Brooklyn, New York, on August 23rd. The couple will reside in Washington, D. C. where Almeda's husband is attending graduate school at George Washington University.

Agnes Pratt Jett, '43, of Stafford, Virginia, became the bride of Harry H. Fall of Allentown, Pennsylvania, on September 3rd.

Martha Lorraine Hughes, '47, of Fredericksburg, Virginia, was married to Frank Amiss Dusch, Jr., also of Fredericksburg, on September 6th. The couple is now residing in Charlottesville where Frank is attending the University of Virginia.

Edith Temple Pemberton of Gloucester, Virginia, was married to Leonard Carl Donner of Richmond, Virginia, on September 3rd.

Mary Louise Stubbs of Quantico, Virginia, was married to Richard Stirling Souther of Washington, D. C. The wedding took place October 7th.

Evelyn Warren Sayers of Richmond, Virginia, was married on October 11th to Robert Mathew Aspinall of West Chester, Pennsylvania.

Adeline Doggett Scott of Fredericksburg, Virginia, was married to Richard Eustice Conway, Jr. of Orange and Fredericksburg. The wedding was held on September 27th.

Margaret Douglas Morrison of Richmond and Texas was married to Loren V. Kottner of Princeton, New Jersey, and Nebraska, on September 27th. The couple will make their home in Princeton, New Jersey.

Beverly Munn, '44, of Wellesley Farms, Mass., was married to Dr. William E. Nessell of Washington, D. C. The wedding took place in October.

Eva Joy Seeley of Richmond, Virginia, was married to Lt. Rodney James Kelly, Army Air Forces. The wedding took place late in the summer.

Muriel Arleen MacLeay, '46, of New Rochelle, New York, became the bride of Hugh Harvey Cloe of Falmouth, Virginia. The wedding was held in New Rochelle on July 5th.

Olga Pandazides of Quantico, Virginia was married to Vasileios D. L. Basil of Norfolk, Virginia. The couple was married in Washington, D. C. on June 29th.

Reva Ann Phillips of Purcellville, Virginia, was married to Frederick John Boyd of Warren, Pennsylvania. They were married on July 16th in Chevy Chase, Maryland.

Marguerite Grace Pitman, '47, of Richmond, Virginia was married to Ernest Lynwood Barnett, Jr., also of Richmond on June 15th. Marguerite's husband is attending Richmond Professional Institute, Richmond, where the couple is residing.

Betty Jo Paterson, '47, of Richlands, Virginia, became the bride of William Gillespie Jackson of Richlands, Virginia, on July 19th.

Kathryn Wanamaker Holman, '45, of Richmond, Virginia, was married to Douglas Diamond Wiggins, also of Richmond. The wedding took place in August.

Mary Byrd Kegley of Albemarle County, Virginia, was married to Joseph Franklin Brugh of Roanoke, Virginia. The wedding was held on July 18th.

Lucy Arline Wade, '36, of Blacksburg, Virginia, was married to Julian Overby Winn of Richmond, Virginia, on July 21st. Prior to her marriage, Lucy was employed as secretary to the President of V.P.I.

Sally Ann Harris of Raleigh, North Carolina, was married to Herbert Wentworth Vaden, Jr. of Richmond, Virginia, on August 2nd.

Alla Virginia Gunn, '45, of Richmond, Virginia, was married to William Joseph Blanton, also of Richmond, on August 16th.

Ann Shenton Harris, '44, of Fredericksburg, Virginia, became the bride of Emmett Warren Skinner of Alexandria, Virginia. The wedding took place last spring in Washington, D. C., and the couple is now residing in Chico, California.

Beulah Mae Spain, '43, of Church Road, Virginia, was married to John Albert Spatig of Hopewell, Virginia on August 8th. The couple is residing in Hopewell.

Margaret Payne Marshall, '42, of Arlington, Virginia, was married to Mac Leonard White of Richmond, Virginia, on May 31st, 1947. Margaret and her husband are making their home in Richmond.

Ruth Shields, of Chatham, Virginia, was married to Charles Henry Ferry of Washington, D. C., in January, 1947.

Nancy Mann Hite, '47, of Blackstone was married last June to Jesse Miller Tucker, Jr. of Richmond, Virginia. The couple is living in Richmond.

Zillah Marye Rhoades, '38, of Culpeper, Virginia, was married to Eugene W. Gutowski of Warsaw, Poland. The marriage took place last spring in Munich, Germany. Before her marriage, Zillah was associated with the office of State Department in Washington, D. C., prior to volunteering for foreign service. She has been stationed in London, Paris, Berlin and Munich over a period of nearly three years. Her husband was a member of the Polish armed forces and was taken prisoner by the Germans at the fall of Warsaw. He is now an attache of the Counter Intelligence Corps with the United States occupation forces.

Katherine Grason Reynolds, '46, of Charlottesville, Virginia, was married last June to Carl E. Stark of Alexandria, Virginia.

Betty Carter, '41, was married on September 1st to Peter Geib. They are now living at 10822 Ashbury Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio.

Anita Wilhelmina Pepmeier, '40, was married last August 4th to Gatewood Leabury Bennett. They are making their home at 2222 Eye Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

Mary Alice Janes, '46, was married to Frank Everett Fisher of Concord, North Carolina. Their address is 262 Mesenheimer Avenue, Concord, North Carolina.

Sue Frances Vick, '46, was married to Johnnie Davis of North Carolina. She taught in Maryland last year.

Betty DuPre, '39, of Washington, D. C., was married on July 19th, 1947 to John Leslie Ward. Two of her bridesmaids were Mildred Rockwell Shirk, '39, and Rosa Owen Shands. Camilla Moody Payne gave Betty a surprise kitchen shower last June, and all the guests were alumnae. Betty and her husband are now living in Yubou, British Columbia, Canada which is her full address in case

any of you want to write her. Betty writes us that she is living about eighty miles north of Victoria on Vancouver Island. She says that it is a delightful spot and that she is most happy with her new home.

Anne Carroll Hansford was married this past summer to Harry G. Carr.

Helen Virginia Lowe of Arlington, Virginia was married on June 14th, 1947 to John Edward P. Grant, Jr.

Bettye Wallace Cochran, '44, of Washington, D. C., became the bride of Hilton Melius last June.

Ella Lee McDonald of Leesburg, Virginia, became the bride of Robert Joseph Pancoast, Jr., last summer. The couple is making their home in Purcellville, Virginia.

Lorene Moffette Potter, '37, of Bowling Green, Virginia, became the bride of Harry Jefferys Ashley of Fredericksburg on November 22nd. For the past several years, Lorene has been teaching in the Fredericksburg elementary school.

Marianne Louise Albright of Arlington, Virginia was married to Stanley E. Tiberg of La Canada, California. The couple is now making their home at

416 West 94th Street, Los Angeles, California.

Isabel Katherine Martin, '43, was married to Raymond A. Wermeyer on December 5th. Her address is Squadron C, 608th A.A.F. B.U., Muroc Army Air Field, Muroc, California.

Elizabeth (Betty) Terrell Savage, '47, of Fredericksburg will be married to Ford Stephens of Newport News, Virginia on March 29th, 1948. Betty has been employed as circulation clerk in the library at M.W.C. of the U. of Va. Ford is attending Washington and Lee University in Lexington, Virginia.

Jeanne Sinclair Tillery, '46, of Hampton, Virginia was married to Samuel Ross Lipscomb of Washington, D. C. The wedding took place in December, 1947.

Margaret Ann Estes, '47, of Chase City, Virginia, became the bride of Henry Thomas Hupp, Jr., also of Chase City in December, 1947.

Katherine Pinner, '43, of Smithfield, Virginia, was married to James T. Grinstead of Richmond, Virginia on October 25th, 1947.

Births

Monika (Dahl) Gould, '44, now has a young son, George Christopher Bartlett, born last February 6th, 1947.

Elsie (Goad) Dalton, '44, is the proud mother of a daughter, Alice Rush, born on September 26th, 1947. The Daltons are living at 112 Ash Street, Bristol, Tenn.

"Tootie" (Willis) Reamy, '47, has a son, Morris Robert, born in September, 1947.

Ruth (Beedle) Buckingham, '46, has a little daughter, Betsy, born in Wilmington, Del., on September 22nd, 1947.

Elsie (Dunn) Ellis, '40, writes us that she has a daughter two years old. Elsie's address is Box 43, Stony Creek, Virginia.

Nellie May (Stewart) Pettit has a son born last August. She and her family have come back to Virginia after living in Ohio at Patterson Field where Nellie May's husband, a captain in the A.A.F., was stationed. Their present address is Frederick Hall, Virginia.

Penny (Bien) Walker, '42, has quite a family now. Her third child, Van Scott, was born on October 25th, 1947. Penny has another little boy, Donny, and a girl, Berta Jo.

Sue (McGee) Gregg, '38, of Purcellville, Virginia, has a daughter, Susan Holmes.

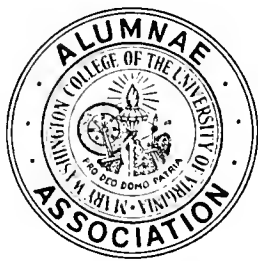
Lilias (Scott) Keel, '44, has a young son born December 4th, 1947. Lilias and her husband, Franklin, are living in Roanoke, Virginia, where Franklin is a chemical engineer with the American Viscose Corporation.

Winnie (Hudson) Hodgson, '39, has a son, James William, born September 24th, 1947.

In Memoriam

The Alumnae Association wishes to extend its deepest sympathy to Mrs. Thomas W. Keaton of Hampton, Virginia, upon the death of her daughter, Julia Westwood Keaton. Julia was the first student to enroll at Mary Washington College, and also the first girl to receive a diploma from this college. She died on May 11th, 1944.

Also may we express our sympathy to Lorraine Green Cochran upon the death of her husband, James Cochran, and to the family of Anna Lee Spitler who died November 18th, 1947. Anna Lee, before her death, was employed here at Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia in the Treasurer's Office.



RESERVATION BLANK FOR HOMECOMING

April 10th and 11th, 1948

Please fill in and return no later than March 31st to—
Miss Lindlay Goolrick, Executive Secretary
Box 1011, College Station
Fredericksburg, Virginia

_____I am planning to attend Homecoming, April 10th and 11th, and will arrive

(Date of Arrival)

(Approximate Time of Arrival)

_____I desire room at the college, and would like to room with_____

_____if possible.

_____Will be accompanied by husband and will arrange own accomodations.

_____Will attend Alumnae Luncheon at 1:00 P. M., April 10th

_____Will attend Dinner at 6:30 P. M., April 10th

_____Will attend Sunday Dinner, April 11th

I am attaching check or money order to cover my registration fee. The amount indicated below includes all expenses for the weekend.

_____ \$5.00—For paid members of the National Association

_____ \$7.00—For non-paid members of the National Association

Alumnae are asked to bring their own towles.

Married Name_____

Maiden Name_____ Class_____

Address _____



BROMPTON—This lovely pre-War Between the States home was recently purchased by the college. It stands on Marye's Heights a short distance south of M. W. C. and overlooks Fredericksburg. The building, which was General Lee's headquarters in the battle fought here in 1863, is undergoing repairs. It has extensive grounds.



FRAMAR—Newly acquired property of the college, and the present home of Dr. and Mrs. Morgan L. Combs. It is located between the school and Brompton and is now part of the campus.

